Course #2:

Deep Learning, from MLP to CNN

Roadmap



• MLP and Image classification as a case study

• CNN: basic principles

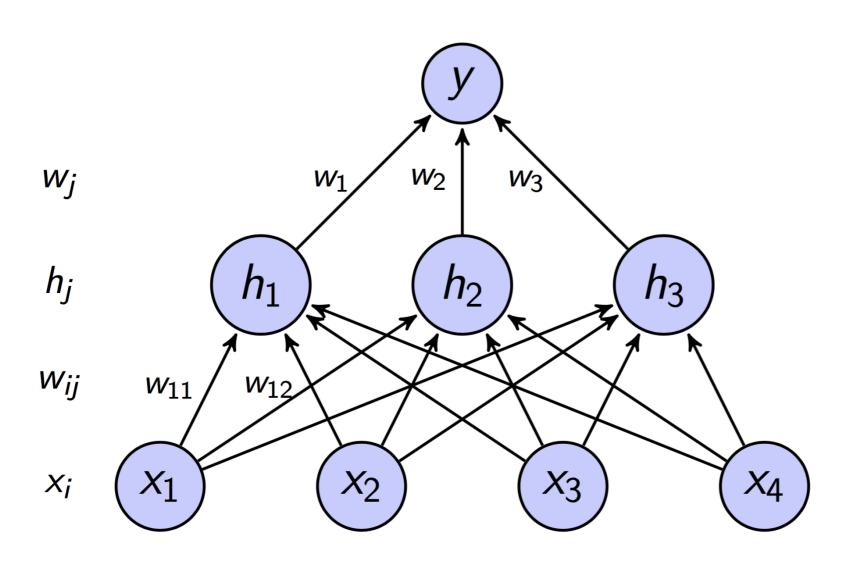
Application to image classification

• Classic CNN architectures

Recap from Course #1 Things to know

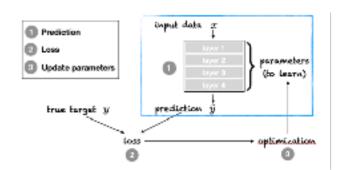
- Supervised vs. unsupervised learning
- Training loss
- Model
- Layers
- Fully-Connected/Dense NNs (MLP)
- Activation functions
- Backpropagation
- Weights and biases
- Optimizers
- epoch

Feedforward networks (Weights and biases)



$$f(x) = \sigma \left[\sum_{i} \omega_{i} \sigma_{i} \left(\sum_{j} \omega_{i,j} x_{j} + b_{i} \right) + b \right]$$

Guidelines to implement Deep Learning schemes



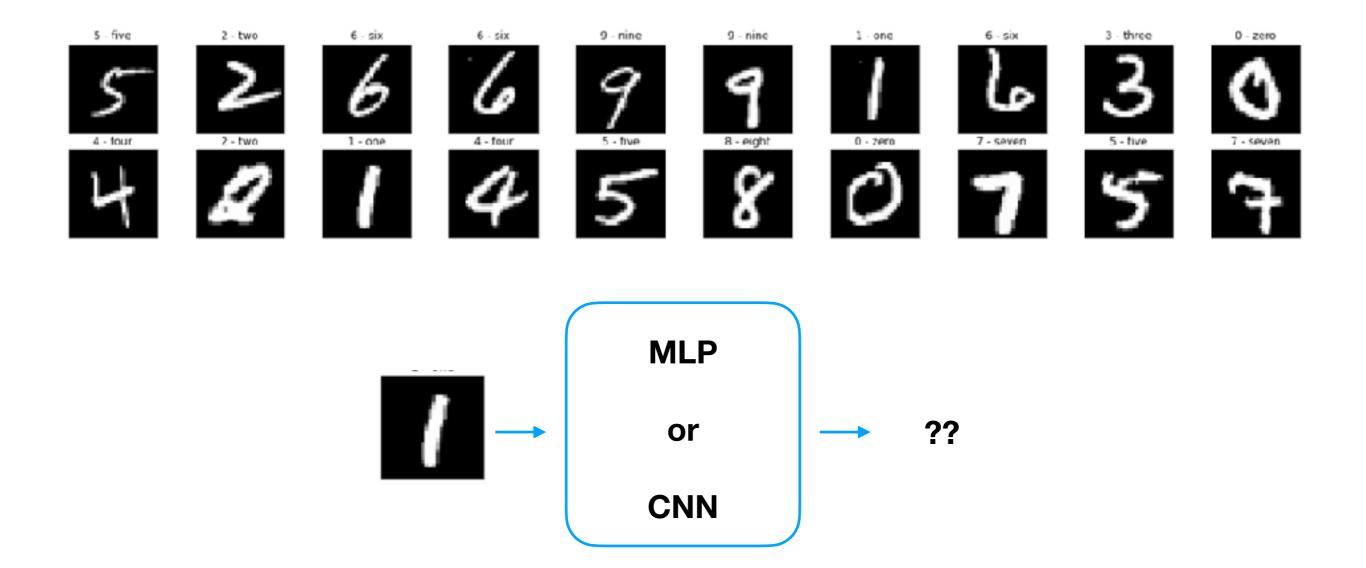
- 1. Problem formulation (inputs/outputs)
- 2. Data collection (cf. supervised vs. non-supervised)
- 3. Definition of performance metrics
- 4. Selection of neural architectures (at least 2 models)
- 5. Selection of a training loss
- 6. Split dataset into training / validation / test datasets
- 7. Train the selected models from the training dataset and save the best models onto the validation dataset
- 8. Benchmark the performance of the trained models onto the test dataset
- 9. Update/iterate 4-5-6-7-8

Image classification case-study

Let's go

https://github.com/CIA-Oceanix/DLCourse_MOi_2022/blob/main/notebooks/notebook_MNIST_classification_MLP_with_correction.ipynb

1. Problem formulation (inputs/outputs)



Training / validation / test dataset

Dataset

Training dataset

Test dataset

Training

Validation

Test dataset

Data used during the optimisation (gradient descent on mini-batches)

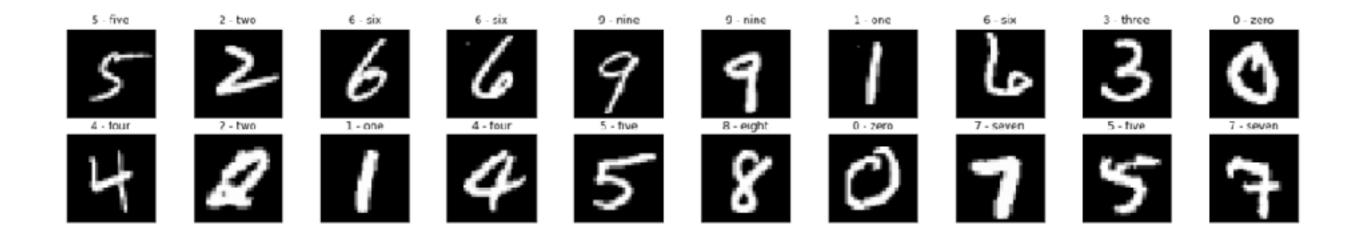
Data never provide to the NN during the training procedure

Data used to monitor the training after each epoch

2. Data collection

```
train_data = datasets.MNIST(root = 'data', train = True, download = True, transform = transform)
test_data = datasets.MNIST(root = 'data', train = False, download = True, transform = transform)
```

3. Performance metrics



4. Neural architecture

```
import torch.nn as nn
import torch.nn.functional as F
class MLP(nn.Module):
    def init (self): # FUNCTION TO BE COMPLETED
        super(MLP,self). init ()
        hidden 1, hidden 2 = 512, 256
        self.fcl = nn.Linear(28*28, hidden 1)
        self.fc2 = nn.Linear(hidden 1, hidden 2)
        self.fc3 = nn.Linear(hidden 2,10)
        self.dropout = nn.Dropout(0.2)
   def forward(self,x): # FUNCTION TO BE COMPLETED
        x = x.view(-1,28*28)
        x = F.relu(self.fcl(x))
        x = self.dropout(x)
        x = F.relu(self.fc2(x))
        x = self.dropout(x)
        x = self.fc3(x)
        return x
```

5. Training loss

```
criterion = nn.CrossEntropyLoss() # TO DO
```

Model complexity?

6. Split dataset into training / validation / test datasets

```
import torch
from torch.utils.data.sampler import SubsetRandomSampler
import numpy as np
batch size = 20
valid size = 0.2
train size = 0.2
indices = np.random.permutation(len(train_data))[:int(train_size*len(train_data))]
train data = torch.utils.data.Subset(train data,indices )
def create data loaders(batch size, valid size, train data, test data): # FUNCTION TO BE COMPLETED
 total train = len(train data)
 num val = int(total train * valid size)
 num train = total train - num val
 tr data, val data = torch.utils.data.random split(train data, [num train, num val])
 train loader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(tr_data, batch_size = batch_size)
 valid_loader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(val_data, batch_size = batch_size)
 test loader = torch.utils.data.DataLoader(test data, batch size = batch size)
  return train loader, valid loader, test loader
```

7. Model training

```
optimizer = torch.optim.SGD(model 1.parameters(), lr = 0.01)
 for epoch in range(n epochs):
     train loss, valid loss = 0, 0
     model.train()
     for data, label in train loader:
         data = data.to(device=device, dtype=torch.float32)
         label = label.to(device=device, dtype=torch.long)
         optimizer.zero grad()
         output = model(data)
         loss = criterion(output, label)
         loss.backward()
         optimizer.step()
         train_loss += loss.item() * data.size(0)
     model.eval()
     for data, label in valid loader:
         data = data.to(device=device, dtype=torch.float32)
         label = label.to(device=device, dtype=torch.long)
         with torch.no grad():
             output = model(data)
         loss = criterion(output,label)
         valid loss += loss.item() * data.size(0)
     train_loss /= len(train_loader.sampler)
     valid loss /= len(valid loader.sampler)
     train losses.append(train loss)
```

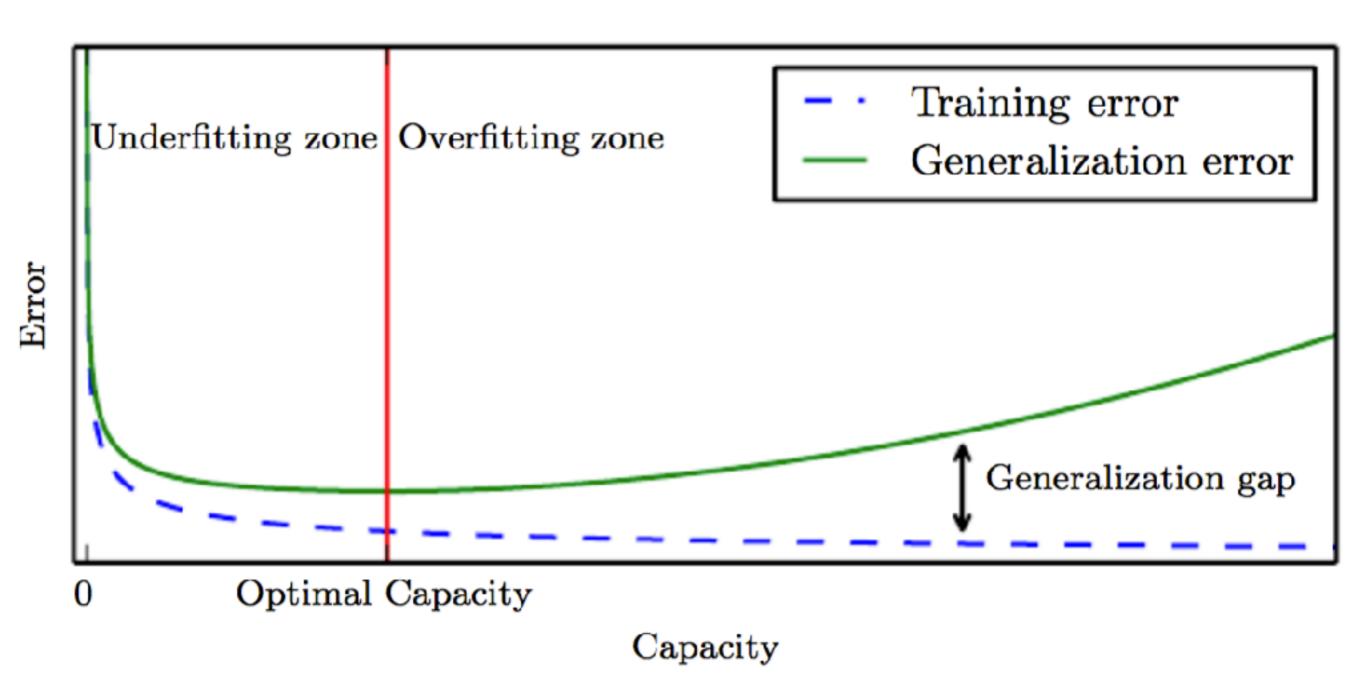
Image classification case-study

Go and run the notebook

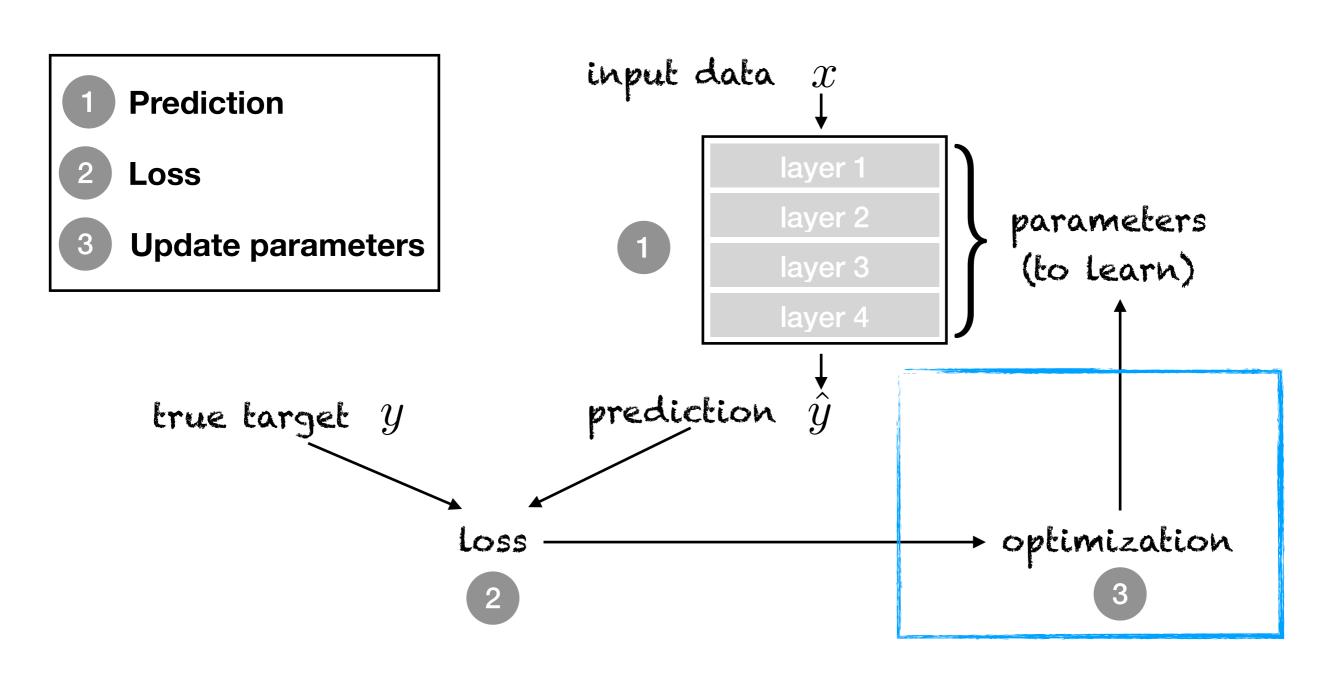
Questions:

Test the training procedure for the MLP with a dropout value of 0. and 0.2. What is the effect of the dropout layer?

Over-fitting



Overview



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Optimizers

[Chapter 8, Goodfellow et al.]

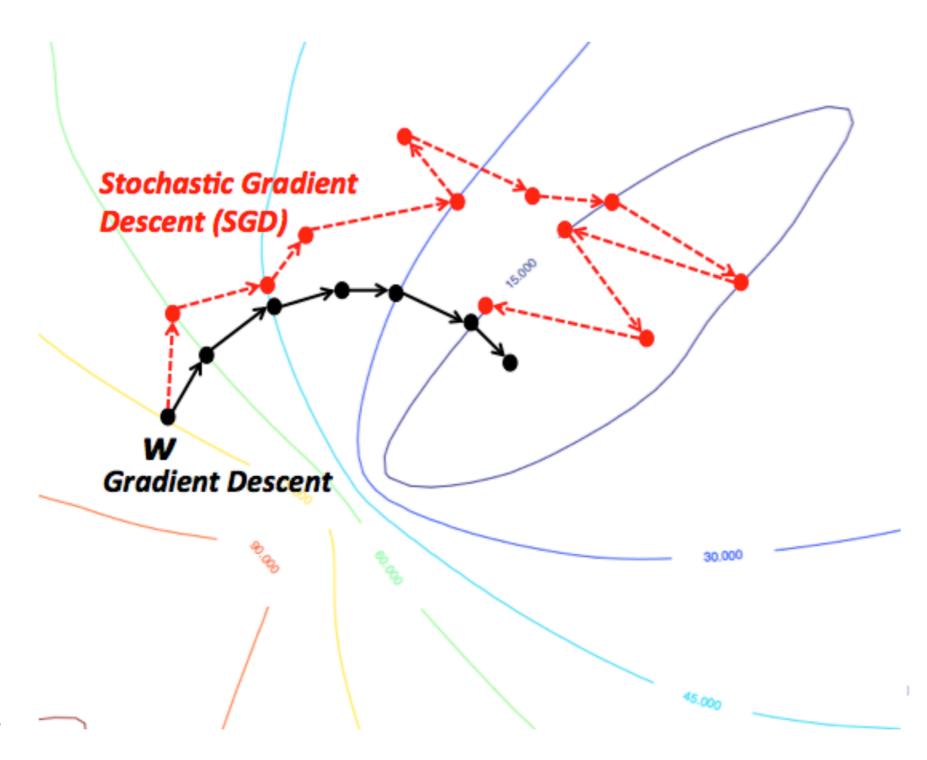
Gradient-based approach

• Stochastic gradient descent (i.i.d examples):

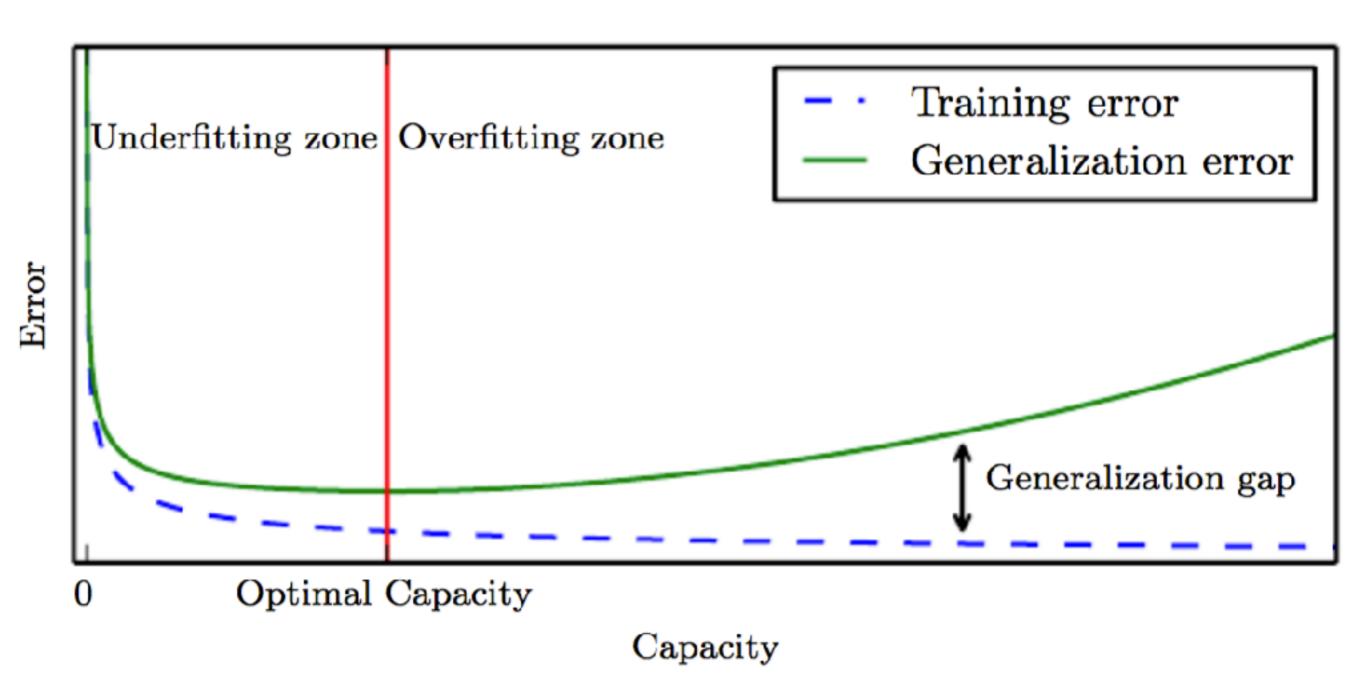
$$\theta^{k+1} = \theta^k - \epsilon_k \frac{\partial J(\theta^k)}{\partial \theta^k}$$

- direction is a random variable, whose the expectation is the gradient to be estimated.
- faster than batch gradient descent
- Minibatch SGD:
 - SGD on 10 to 100 examples (mini batch)
 - less noisy estimate of the gradient

Gradient-based approach



Over-fitting



Regularzation tricks to avoid overfitting

- Penalty terms In the training loss
- Data augmentation
- Dropout layers

Parameter norm penalization

Regularized objective function:

$$\tilde{J}(\theta) = J(\theta) + \alpha \Omega(\theta)$$

• L² norm:
$$\Omega(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}||w||_2^2$$

• L¹ norm:
$$\Omega(\theta) = ||w||_1 = \sum_i |w_i|$$

Data augmentation

- Purpose: improving model generalization error by training on more data
- Very efficient for object recognition
- How to:
 - apply (geometric) transformations on input data (such as translation, rotation, scaling for images).
 - noise injection

Dropout

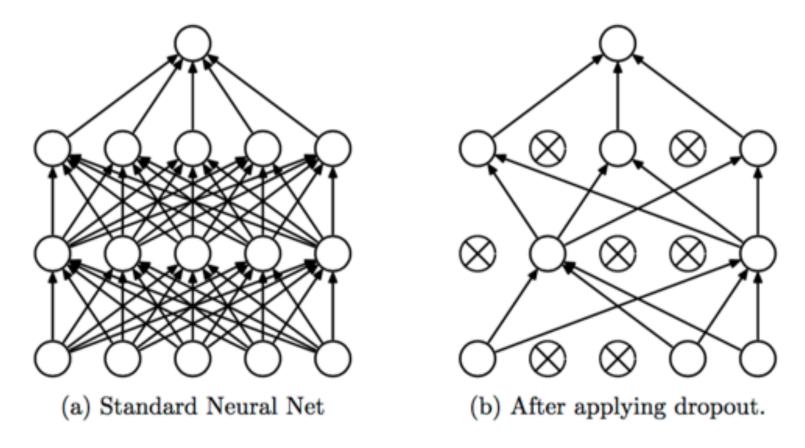
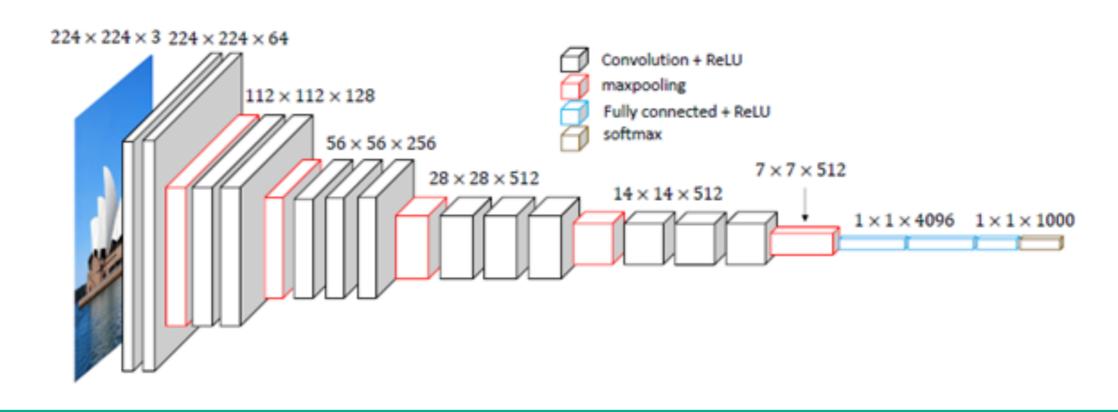


Figure 1: Dropout Neural Net Model. Left: A standard neural net with 2 hidden layers. Right:
An example of a thinned net produced by applying dropout to the network on the left.
Crossed units have been dropped.

Convolutional Neural Networks

State-of-the-art NNs in computer vision

DL models are (in general) feedforward models. VGG16 as an illustration



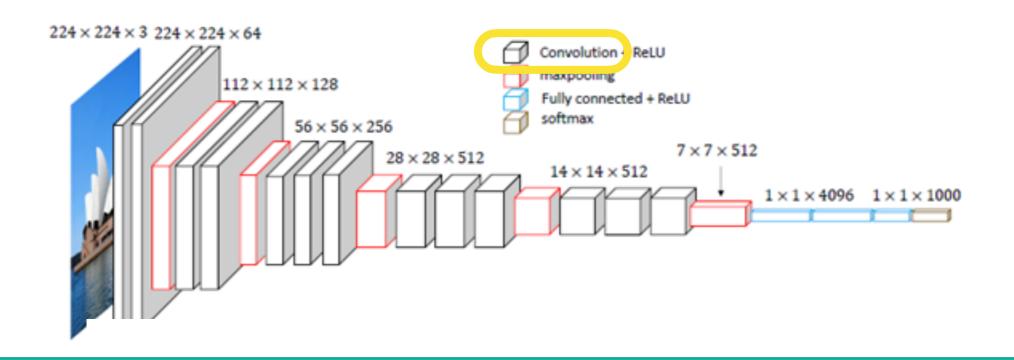
Elementary components

Convolution layers

Activation layers

Pooling layers

FC layers



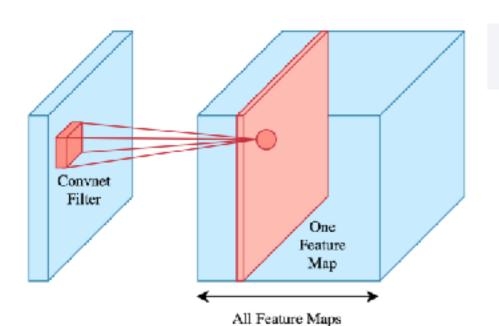
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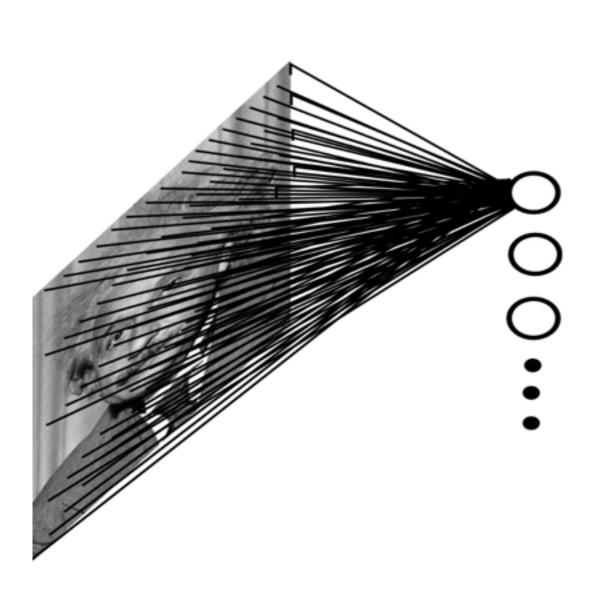


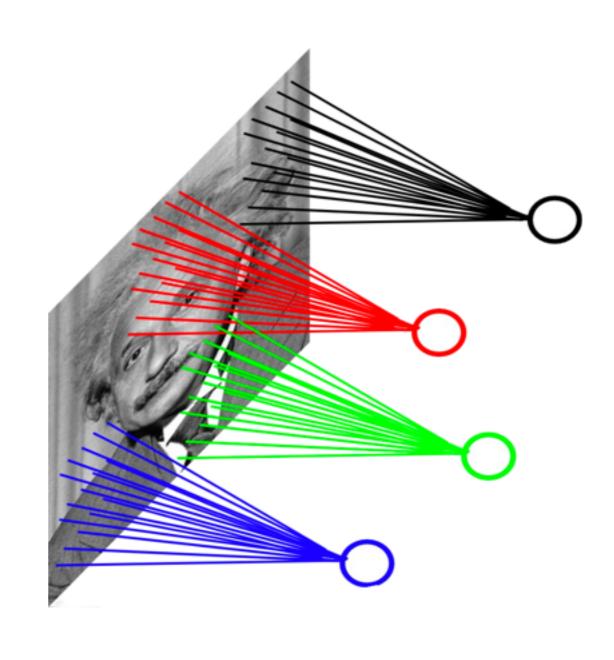
torch.nn.Conv2d(in_channels, out_channels, kernel_size, stride=1, padding=0, dilation=1, groups=1, bias=True, padding_mode='zeros', device=None, dtype=None)

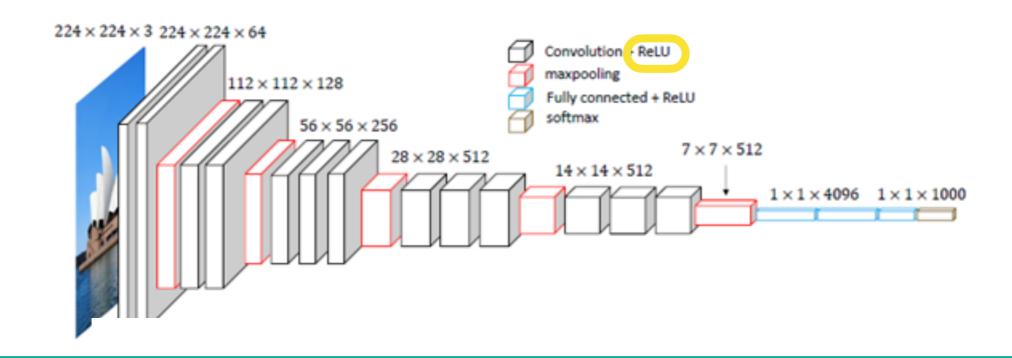
https://pytorch.org/docs/stable/generated/torch.nn.Conv2d.html

Number of parameters?
Independent on the sizes of the input and output layer

Dense layer vs Conv layer







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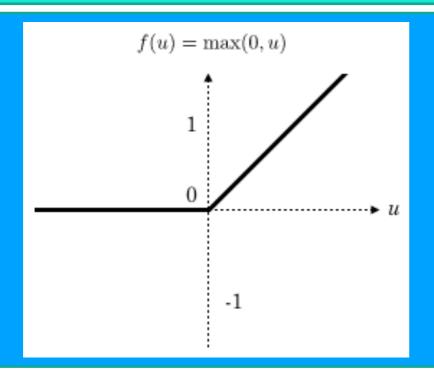
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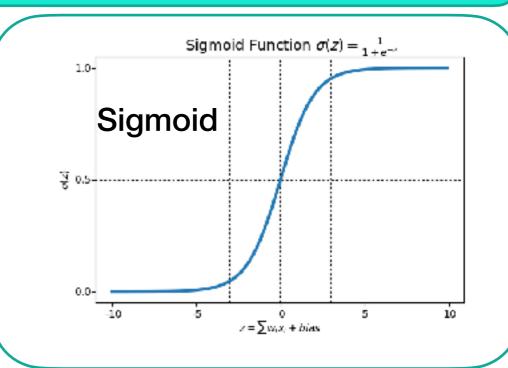
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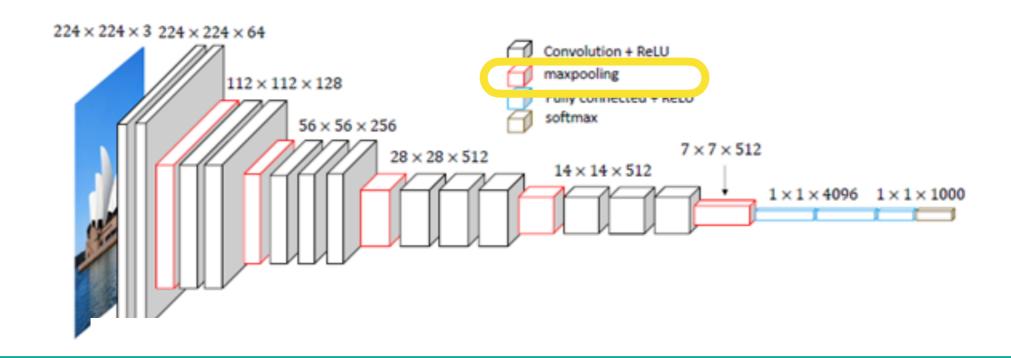
Pooling layers

Dense layers

ReLU (Rectified Linear Unit)







Elementary components

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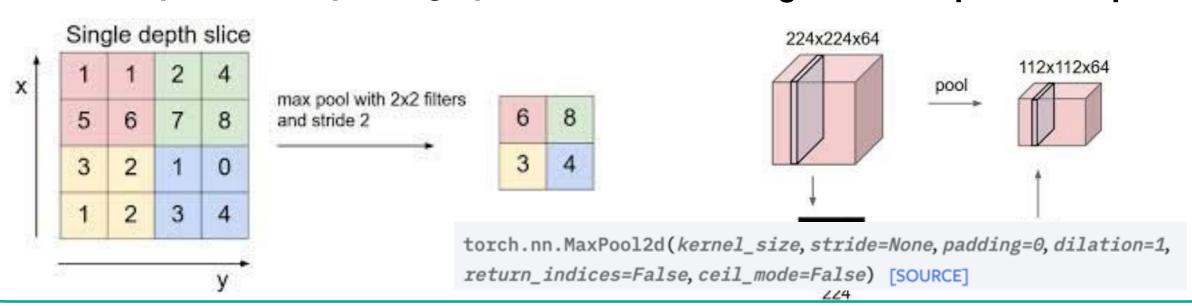
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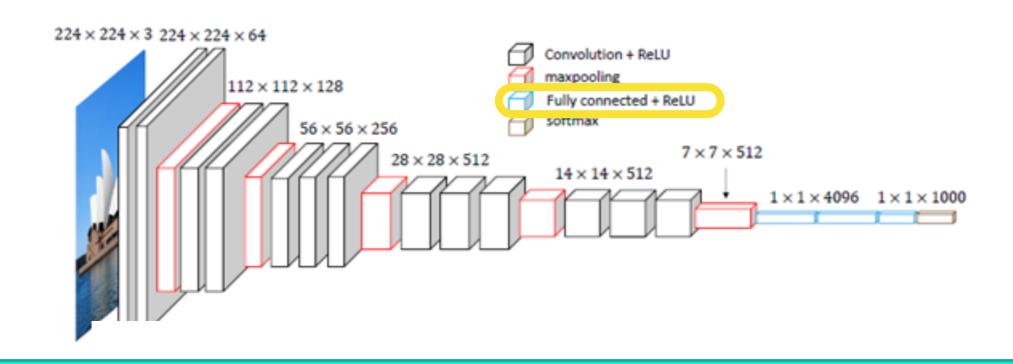
Pooling layers

Dense layers



Pooling downsamples the input layer





Elementary components

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Dense layers

Dense layers
or
Fully-connected (FC) layer
as in a classic MLP

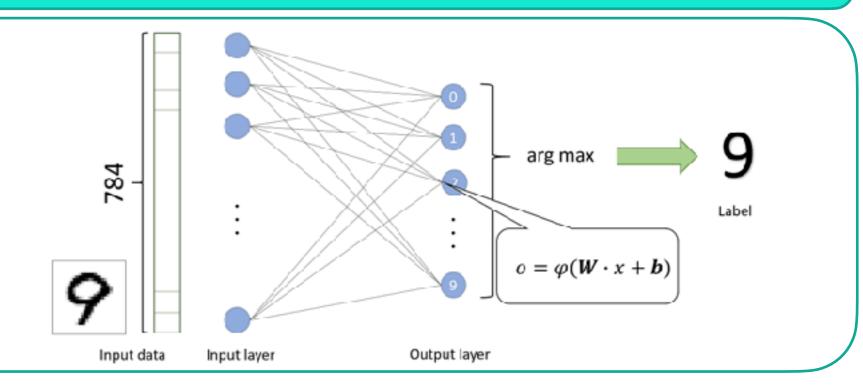
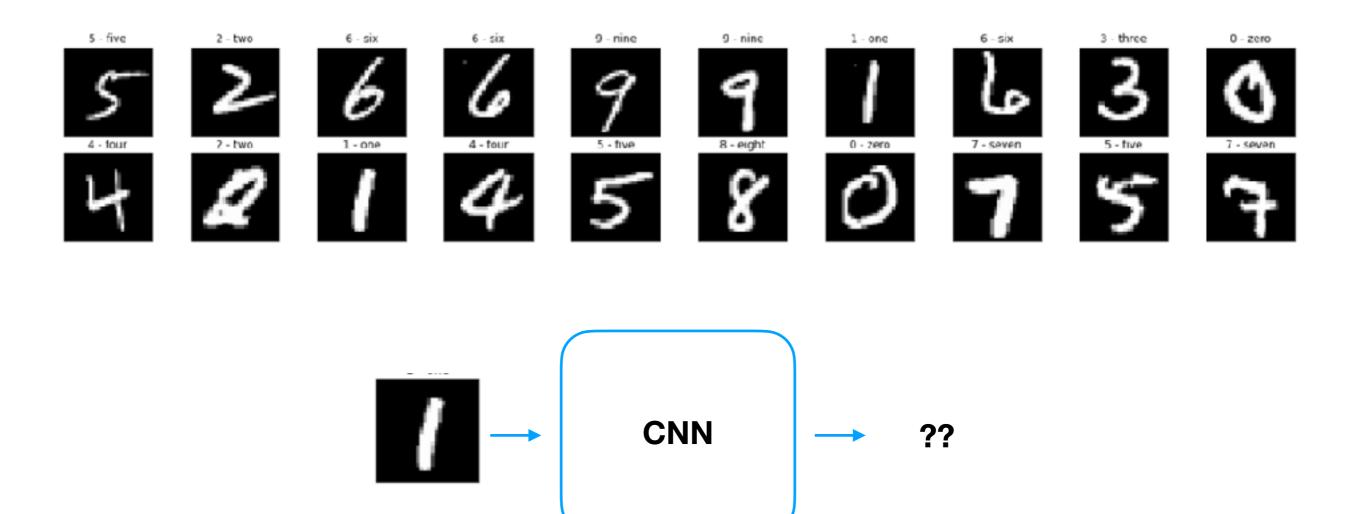
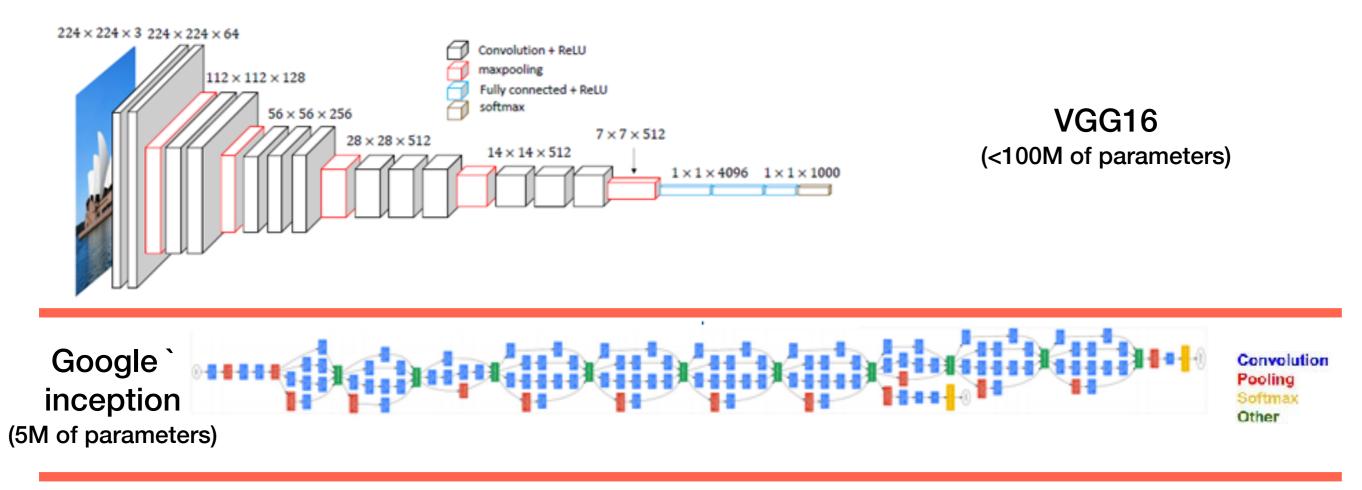
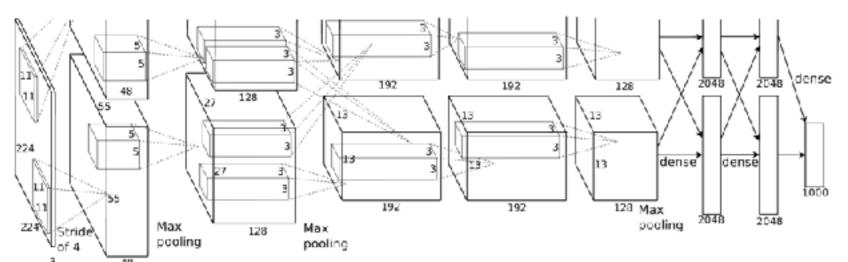


Image classification case-study with CNN



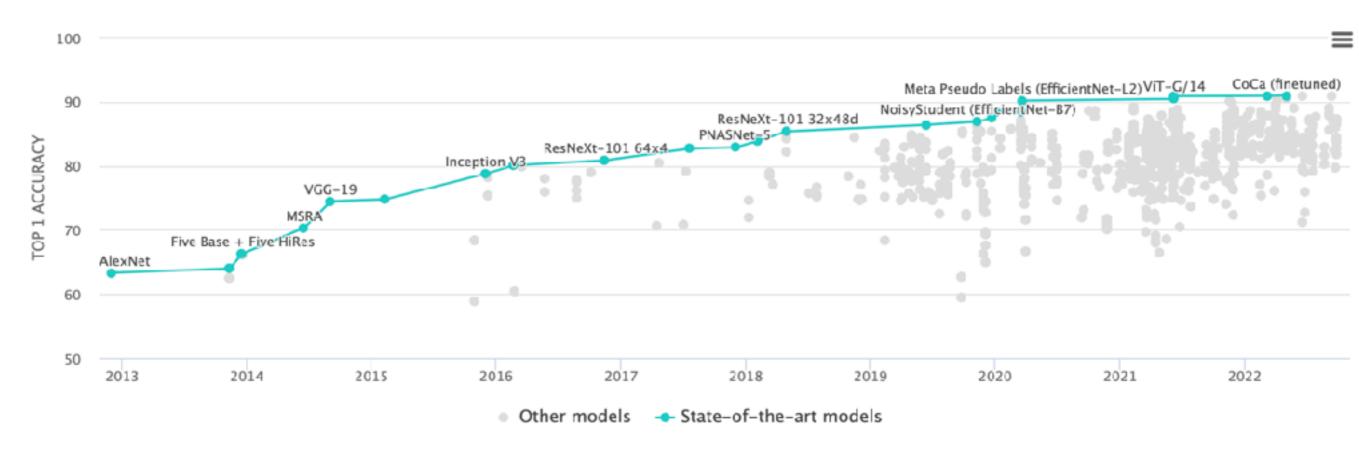
Examples of DL models for object recognition (2010-2020)





AlexNet (60M of parameters)

DL and Benchmarking (Data Challenges)



https://paperswithcode.com/sota/image-classification-on-imagenet



of object classes: 1000 # of images > 1.2 M

Best accuracy score: ~91%

State-of-the-art architectures: CNN, Vision Transformers

CNN-based classification and Ocean Data

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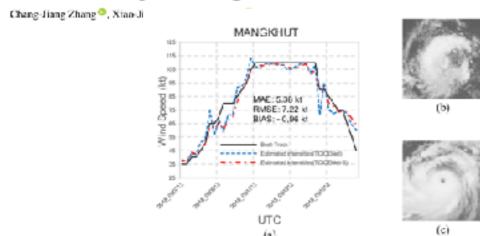


Automated plankton image analysis using convolutional neural networks

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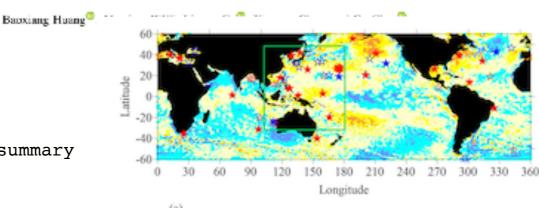
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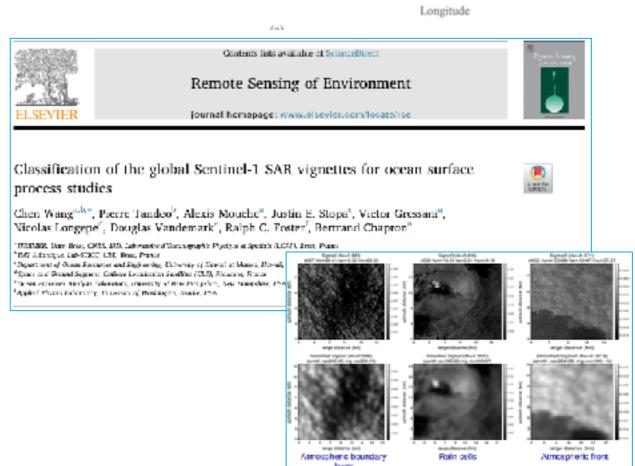
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Fine-tuning from pre-trained models

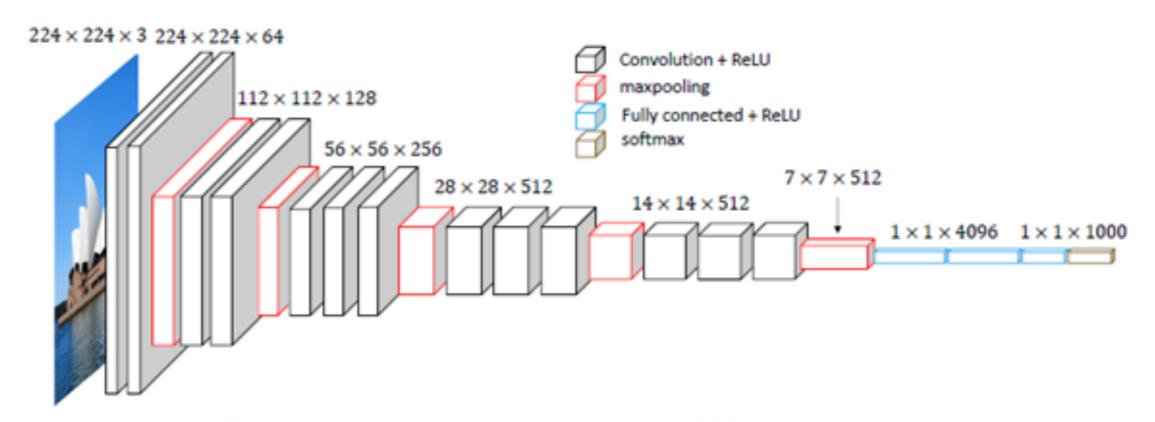
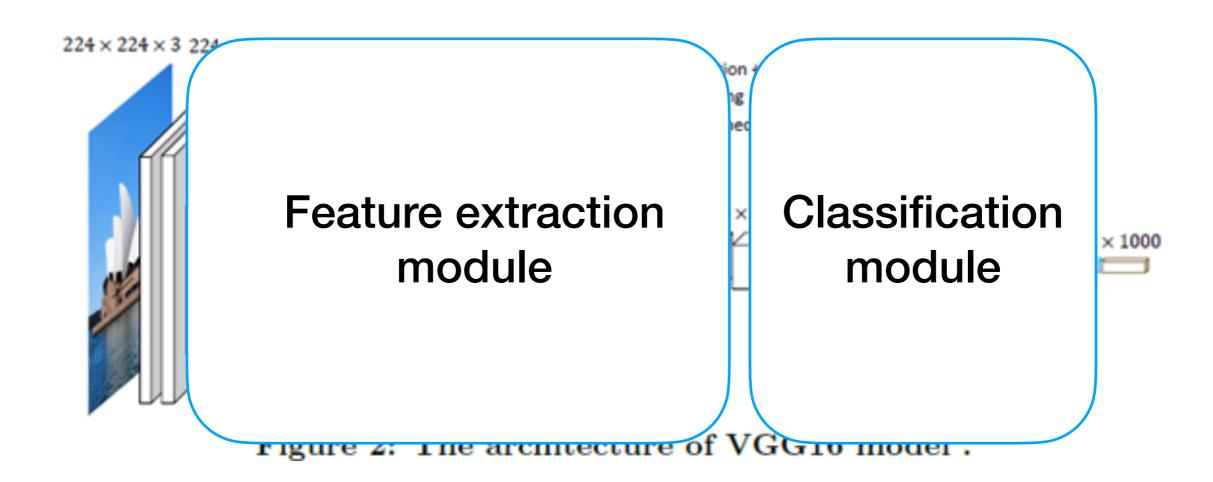


Figure 2: The architecture of VGG16 model.

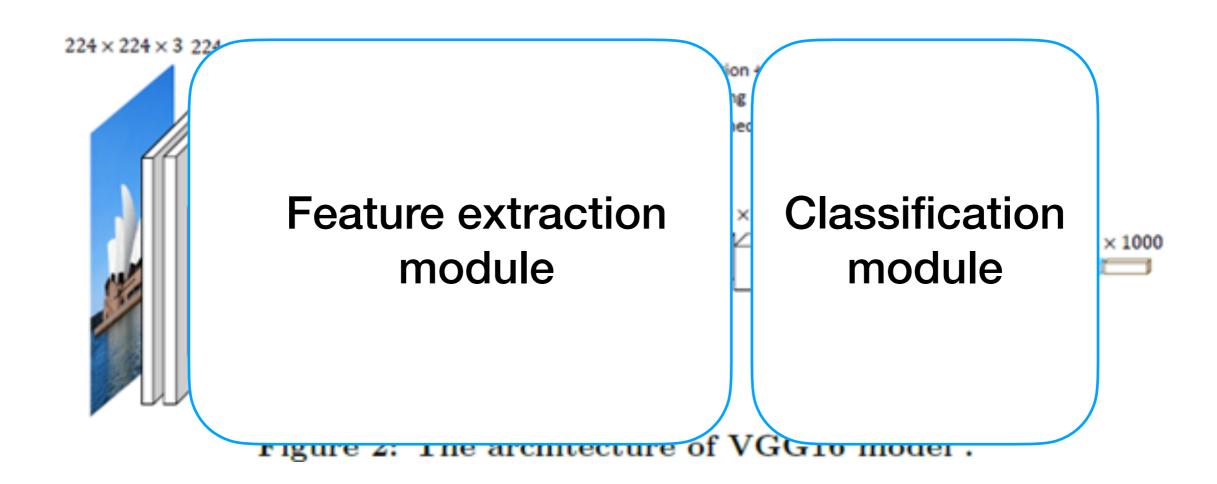
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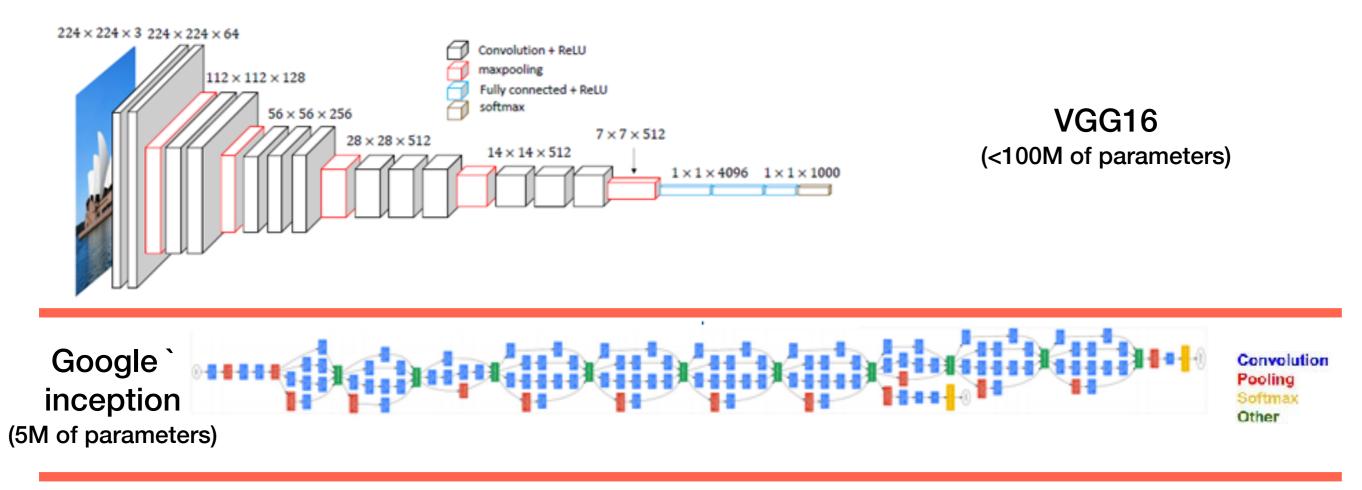
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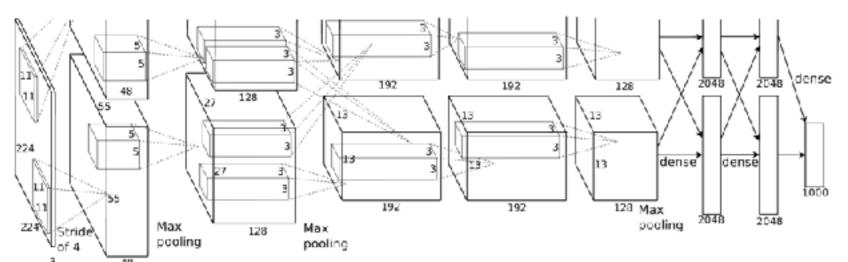
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Lecture. #2 Things to know (CNN)

- Convolution layers
- Pooling layers
- Activation layers
- Dropout layers
- Padding and stride
- Fully-Connected/Dense layers
- Fine-tuning
- Over-fitting
- Data augmentation